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**TITLE: Digital Communications Method and System for Communicating Over Channels With Block Fading and Burst Jamming**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This paper is herewith filed in response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed on 16 February 2010 for the above-captioned U.S. Patent Application. This paper is deemed to be filed within one month past the shortened statutory period, and a petition and fee for a one-month extension of time is enclosed. It is believed that this is the only fee that is due. However, should the undersigned attorney be mistaken, please consider this a petition for any extension of time that may be required to maintain the pendency of this Patent Application, and charge deposit account no.: 50-1924 for any required fee deficiency.

Please amend the application as shown on the following sheets.